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Dear Sir:



In response to the Office Action mailed June 25, 2002, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.

In the Claims

Please cancel claims 2, 14 and 16-20.

Please amend claims 1, 11 and 13 as follows.

1. (Once Amended) An adhesive construction comprising:
 - (a) a flexible substrate having a first side and defining an outer perimeter edge;
 - (b) a first adhesive field comprising pressure sensitive adhesive and an outer perimeter adhesive field positioned on the first side of the flexible substrate and adjacent the outer perimeter edge;
 - (i) the first adhesive field being a discontinuous pattern of adhesive with adhesive covering no more than 80% of an area of a portion of the first side of the flexible substrate defined by the first adhesive field; the area of a portion of the first side of the flexible substrate defined by the first adhesive field being at least 10 sq. mm. and,

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